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SENATOR EDMUNDS' polygamy bill, after a sharp discussion, passed the senate. Its provisions are much severer than the original bill, and the saints (?) are kicking like bay steers over their dubious prospects.

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ENGLISH vessels and English methods have about driven the American flag from the sea. True, we have some coasting trade left and until recently a Suniay Times, per year... considerable fleet of vessels have found it profitable to supply the Cuban planters with American hogsheads and bring back sugar. But now even this trade is rapidly disappearing and the West India fleet must look elsewhere for employment, unless Congress can be made to do something in the way of relief. The remedy seems to be very simple. Because of a discrimination in favor of cheap English-made bags, by which the export duty on sugar is reduced when shipped in them, the American hogsheads are being discarded. Vessels which have been carrying shooks and heads, no longer able to get a freight out, must give way to English "tramps" or steamers, which are continually eruising around for employment. The English bags are threatening the entire sugar trade with the West Indies and Congress is new asked to increase the duty on sugar in bags one-fourth cent per pound or decrease that imported in American hogsheads to the same amount. This will place the hogshead and the bag on equal footing. If there

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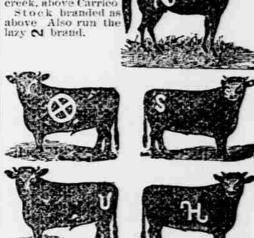
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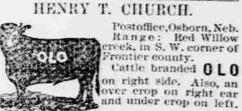
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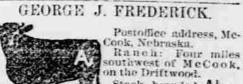


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